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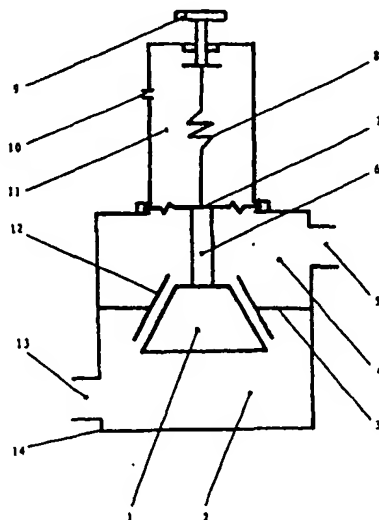
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(54) Title: MUFFLER

(54) 发明名称: 消声器



(57) Abstract: A muffler is disclosed. In the muffler a throttling device which is controlled by the energy of the airflow to be muffled is provided in a pipeline of the airflow which needs to be muffled. The muffler is adjusted by itself according to random variety of the pulsing airflow, and can eliminate or reduce effectively the pulsation of the airflow and the related noise in the range of the low frequency and the middle frequency. The muffling effect of the muffler has no correlation with the volume of the muffler, and therefore the volume of the muffler can be reduced.

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INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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DATABASES: WPI PAJ EPODOC

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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X	JP5086834A (TOYOTA MOTOR CORP) 06.Apr.1993 (06.04.93)	1
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